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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-Final Office Action, dated September 27, 2005, kindly consider the following Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.